(d) Does not arise.

Statement

Sl. No.	Name of the Unit	Plant Capacity	Year of establishment/date of commercial production	Capital cost of the project (Rs./crores)	Cost of production (Rs./Tonne of Ammonia 1989-90)	Feed-stock
1	IFFCO, Phulpur	Ammonia 900TPD Urea 1500TPD	March, 1981	205·00 (FE 91·82)	3268·74	Naphtha
2	NFL, Panipat	Ammonia 900TPD Urea 1500TPD	1st Sept. 1979	223·5 (FE 55·79)	4042·89	Fuel Oil
3	FCI, Ramagundam	Ammonia 900TPD Urea 1500TPD	1st Nov.,1980	217·90 (FE 44·60).	11601·19	Coal
4	RCF, Trombay-V	Ammonia 900TPD Urea 1000TPD	1st July, 1982	166·09 (FE 44·60)	4133·00	Natural Gas

Paradeep Phosphates Limited

363. SHRI DHULESHWAR MEENA: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Republic of Nauru has decided to withdraw lock, stock and barrel from Paradeep Phosphates Limited (PPL), a port-based joint venture worth a billion rupees;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government have assessed the impact of such a withdrawal by a foreign investor on India's credibility as a reliable country for foreign invesment; and

(d) the reasons for which this joint venture could not be run as a financially viable unit since it went into commercial production in 1986?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILISERS (SHRI CHINTA MOHAN): (a) and (b) The Government of the Republic of Nauru have expressed their desire of withdraw their equity participation from Paradeep Phosphates Limited, as in their perception, the company is not likely to make profits in the near future and pay dividends to them.

(c) Yes Sir.

(d) Paradeep Phosphates Ltd. is potentially a viable unit though it sustained losses in 1986-87, 1987-88 and 1990-91 due to inadequate availabliity of phosphoric acid and ammonia and labour problems. The company made a profit of Rs. 12.02 crores in 1988-89 and according to the provisional accounts for 1991-92, the company is likely to earn a net profit of Rs. 15.00 crores.

Un-paid profits under DPCO

364. DR. RATNAKAR PANDEY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large amount of money required to be paid to Government by drug-companies still remain unpaid under the provisions of the Drug Prices Control Order;

(b) if so, the total amount still remaining unpaid and the company-wise details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken and are being taken to recover the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND